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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Katsuhisa SATOH

Serial No.: 10/031,399

Group Art Unit: 2652

Filed: January 18, 2002

Examiner: Chen, Tianjie

For: DISC PLAYER

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a One-month extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action mailed October 3, 2005. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the extension fee in the amount of \$120.00 to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481. An Amendment responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees or to credit any overpayment in fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 27, 2006

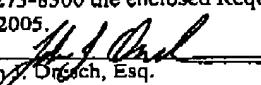

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